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E. A. MORSE GLIDES INTO THE POTOMAC

Big Steel Cargo Carrier Fifth Ship to Be Launched by the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation.

MISS ANNA E. MORSE SPONSOR

Launching One of The Most Successful in The History of The Company—Ship Will Be Completed in 45 Days —Attending Launching Was a Distinguished Gathering of Special Guests.

In the presence of a distinguished gathering of persons, many of whom are prominent in the diplomatic and commercial world, the big 9,400 ton steel freighter Edwin A. Morse, built by the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, was launched at noon today. The sponsor was Miss Anna E. Morse, of Bath, Maine, only daughter of Charles E. Morse.

A few minutes before the hour of noon workmen began tugging at the rollers beneath the big ship and making everything in readiness. Miss Morse stood beside the ship and at a given signal smashed a bottle-of champagne over the bow of the big cargo carrier which glided majestically into her element. As the ship left her cradle Minister's band from Washington played patriotic airs. Miss Morse was becomingly atired in blue with black hat and blue feather, carried a huge boquet of cream colored roses. The bottle of champagne was gaily bedecked in red white and blue and just as the boat left the ways the sirene at the shipyard let loose and all eyes were fastened on the fifth ship to leave the ways at this company's big plant.

Edwin A Morse ,in whose honor the ship is named is a son of Charles W. Morse and is vice president of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation. His father Charles W. Morse is chairman of the board of directors of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation and president of the United States Steamship Company of New York, which concern owns the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation.

Although lowering clouds threatened to result in a heavy downpour of rain at about the hour set for the launching, the occasson was favored by aupicious weather, for the sun peep ed out just a few minutes before the boat left the ways and sky to seemed to smile on the launching.

The E. A. Morse has a carrying capacity of 9,400 tons, is 402 feet 6 inches long, has a 53 foot beam. She is equipped with three (3) Scotch oilers and will develop a speed when loaded of eleven (11) knots.

This was the fifth launching at these yards and was regarded as one of the most succesful in the history of the company everything going off without a hitch.

Immediately following the launching a buffet luncheon was served the invited guests in the administration building.

It is expected that the new ship will be completed within the next fortyfive days. She will enter the service of the United States Transport, Import and Export Company of New York which already is operating ships built at these yards, the Gunston Hall, the Betsy Bell, the Vanada and the H. F. Morse. The later was delivered in Baltimore Tuesday and sailed Friday for Rotterdam with a cargo of coal.

The product of the Virginia yards among the best in the United States. Shipbuilding authorities who have inspected this and previous ships declare that no better ships are built in the United States, and that means the world.

The E. A. Morse was built under the direction of F. T. Warner, plant manager; R M. Much, assistant plant manager; George Cain, general superintendent; Fred Anderson, hull superintendent; A. J. Sharpe, boat foreman. This ship was built under American Bureau of Shipping and Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Among the distinguished invited guests were: Colin H. Livingstone, president of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation and wife; C. W. Morse, president of the United States Steamship Co. and wife; H. F. Morse, vice president of Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation; E. A. Morse, vice-president of Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation; Miss Jennie R Morse, of Bathe, Maine, sister of C. W Morse; Hon. C. C. Carlin, former Congressman 8th Congressional District; Real Admiral Grant, Commandant, Washington Navy Yard; Ralph E. Biling, president Commercial National Bank, Washington, D. C.; Hon. Samuel G. Brent, judge of Circuit Court; Hon. L. C. Barley, judge Corporation Court; L. C. Brownlow, District Commissioner; Hon. H. H. Bruyn, Minister from Norway; Senor Cespades, Minister from Spain; Hon. Charles Cambrum, Charge d' Affaires, French Legation; Rear Admiral Geo. R. Clark, Judge Advocate General; Sir Richard Crawford, British Embassy; Major Benedict Crowell, assistant secretary of War; Viscount D'Alte, Minister from Portugal; Baron Pietro Arone de Zalentio, Italian Embassy J. A. Donald, Commissioner United States Shipping Board; Rear Admiral Ralph Earle, Navy Department; Graham Egerton, Solicitor of the Navy Department; Senator Davis Elkins, West Virginia; Jas. French, of Lloyd's Register, New York; Wm. T. Galliher, president, American National Bank, Washington; District Commissioner Gardner; T. M. Gordon, of McAdoo, Cotton, and Franklin, New York; Wm. Guggenheim; General Guglielmotti, Italian Embassy; Col. and Mrs. R. N. Harper, Washington; F. Harrison Higgins, New York; Major General Inouye, Japan Embassy; Viscount Ishii, Ambassador from Japan; Hon. J. J. Jusserand, Ambassador from France; Alvin W. Krech, president, Equitable Trust Co., New York; Wilton J. Lambert, Washington; Capt. Lavorie, Bureau Veritas; Hon. C. C, McChord, Interstate Commerce Commissioner; Paymaster Samuel McGowan of the Navy; David Millar of Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Incorporated, will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 11 o'clock A. M., October 27th. 1919. By order of the Board of Directors.

Howard Lumber Company, Incorporated.

Josiah Howard, President.
241-15t. Jay P. Felt, Secretary.

FORD OWNERS

Have you seen Mr. Woodburry at Remschel's? 254-2c

Several bargains in used cars at Remschel's. 254-2c

END 5-MONTHS' STRIKE

New York, Oct. 25.—The strike of 25,000 union cigar workers, which has been in progress for five months here. ended today. The men will be back to work Monday.

DIED

MONCH—At the Alexandria Hospital Friday, October 24, 1919, at 8 a. m., MRS. ALICE MONCH, wife of William Monch, She is survived by her husband and three sons, and two daughters. Funeral from her residence in New Alexandria, Monday, October 27th, at 2 p. m. 255-2t

ST. MARY'S PLANS BAZAAR NEXT MONTH

Bazaar To Be Held In Lyceum Hall Beginning November 3.

FEATURES PLANNED

Many Handsome and Valuable Articles Will Be Disposed of—Will Last Week or Ten Days.

Plans are rapidly nearing completion for a big autumn bazaar which will be held beginning November 3 under the auspices of the congregation of St. Mary's Catholic Church The bazaar will be continued for a week or possibly ten days.

For some time past the committee that will have charge of the bazaar has been working assiduously in mapping out the many details incident to the big affair proposed to be given.

Many handsome donations have been received by those in charge and in addition to the donations given numerous valuable articles have been purchased which will be disposed of during the progress of the affair.

Voices are to taken in a ton of coal barrel of folur. Hoosier cabinet, wrist watch and many other useful and valuable articles too numerous to mention.

The plans provide for supper table, fancy table, apron and miscellaneous table, confectionery table and possibly others.

Special attractions are to be given each night. Music will be furnished by an orchestra.

Carpenters and decorators during the latter part of next week will begin the work of erecting the various booths and preparing the hall for the affair. In order to have everything in readiness on the opening night.

The bazaars heretofore given in the Lyceum Hall under the auspices of St. Mary's have proved popular and have attracted large throngs of persons and this one promises to equal if not surpass any heretofore, given by this congregation.

FREE PICTURES TOMORROW

U. S. Public Health Service Will Show "The End of the Road"

Under the auspices of the United States Public Health Service free moving pictures will be shown tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night in the Richmond Theater. This picture will be shown at 4.30 p. m., for women only, and 7.30 and 9:30 p. m., for men only.

This is a highly instructive picture and everyone should see it as it carries with it a lesson long to be remembered.

The city health department has opened a free clinic for the treatment of special diseases of men at the Smith Building, 624 King street in rooms 9 and 10.

The hours on Mondays and Fridays are 10 a. m., to 11 a. m., and 6 to 10 p. m., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays 10 to 11 a. m., and 4 to 88 p. m., and Sunday 9 to 12 noon.

The clinic has been established here under the direct supervision of the Alexandria Health Department working in co-operation with the U. S. Public Health Service and the state board of health. Since October 1 more than seventy patients have been treated. All are treated free of charge.

DRIVE YIELDS $3,400

Jewish Relief Campaign Is Over—Committee Thanks all Who Contributed

The Jewish War Relief Drive ended last night. The sum of $3,400 was collected during the drive. The allotment is $5,000. It is expected that other scattering contributions will be received later on.

L. Ruben, chairman of the committee in charge of the drive, desires to thank the citizens of Alexandria and also those of the county who helped make the drive such a success by their liberal contributions.

Those who have not yet contributed to this worthy cause it is stated may leave their contributions with L. Ruben or B. Weil.

MERCHANTS HELP HIGHWAY

Committees Named to Collect $25,000 for Road to Alexandria

Definite plans to raise $25,000, among Washington merchants, to complete the construction of the new roadway between here and Alexandria, were made last night, when fifteen "block" committees were appointed by Ross P. Andrews, chairman of the special committee of the Chamber of Commerce, which is in charge of the campaign.

The chairman of the block committees will be the representatives of fifteen concerns which announced at the meting last night that they would contribute. The advantages of the new roadway, which is nearly completed, were pointed out by Mr. Andrews, A. E Seymour and Col. R. M. Harper. The merchants of Alexandria have pledged themselves to raise $7,100.

THE HOUSING PROBLEM

Government Will Not Build—Up to Citizens to Erect Houses For Men at Torpedo Station

Concerning the erection of houses in Alexandria for the machanics who will be employed at the Torpedo Station the committee composed of M. B. Harlow and W. Albert Smoot that several days ago discussed the situation with Rear Admiral Ralph Earle has ascertained that the Bureau of Industrial Housing and Transportation will not erect any houses.

This committee had Rear Admiral Earle take up the matter with L. K. Sherman, director of the Bureau of Industrial Housing and Transportation. Mr. Sherman among other things in a letter written to Rear Admiral Earle says that he has authority only to rent, operate and sell its buildings and lands constructed or acquired since the first of last July.

This, therefore, means that the citizens of Alexandria will have to get together and erect houses if they desire the Torpedo Station to operat.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT CHRIST CHURCH SUNDAY

The music to be rendered by the Vested Choir at Christ Church tomorrow will include the following:

11.00 a. m.—Te Deum in F, Dykes; Offertory Anthem, "O for a closer walk with God." Myles Foster; incidental solo, Mrs. Geo. Pickett.

8.00 p. m.—Evening prayer, magnificat and nunc Dimittis in F, Caleb Simper; Offertory Anthem, "Gallia," Motet for Soprano Solo, chorus and organ by Chas. Gounod; incidental solo Mrs. Geo. Pickett. Mrs. Chas. Lennan, organist, James Dickinson, choirmaster.

KILLED WHILE AT WORK

Geo. Alexander, Colored, Crushed to Death at Southern Round House

George Alexander, colored, about twenty-five years old, who was employed at the Southern Railway roundhouse, was killed while at work at 5 o'clock this morning.

The deceased who was in the pit was crushed when an engine backing up struck him while he was engaged in putting a bolt in a car. The body was taken to Wheatley's chapel.

An inquest will be held by Dr. Jones at 7 o'clock tonight at Wheatley's mortuary chapel.

ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Washington Safe Deposit Company Incorporated, will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, November 4, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

John C. Schroder, Assistant Secty.
250-2wks.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company will be held at the office of the companyv Monday, November 3rd, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m.
239-23t. George Uhler, Secretary.

Norfolk salt water Oysters and Hampton Bar clams Jacob Brill, foot of King Street., 227-tf.

LOCAL ORGANIZATION TO SUCCEED W.C.C.S.

When Reorganization is Effected It Will be Locally Supported

LETER TO H. H. VAN WIE

Joseph Lee, National President, Expresses Hope That Citizens Soon Will Take Up Work.

The following letter has just been received by Homer Van Wie, of the War Camp Community Service, explains itself

Mr. Homer Van Wie
W. C. C. S Box 342
Alexandria, Va.

My dear Mr. Van Wie:

From the very begginning of the war, and at the request of the War Department and of the Navy Department, the special task of War Camp Community Service was to make the leisure time conditions in the American Community adjacent to the training camps as nearly ideal as possible for our soldiers, sailors, and marines. This task has been performed in such a way that our service men and the national departments concerned have had nothing but praise and gratitude for the work which the American people through this organization, have done.

Most of the four million young men who have made up the great American army for the World War have now returned from foreign service and from the camps and training stations to their home communities. In general, while they were in the service their leisure time opportunities were more ample, more varied and more attractive than are the similar leisure time opportunities in our average American communities. Government reports show that suicides and crimes are in smaller proportions in the army than in the similar ages and classes in civilian life.

Special effort will be made to enlist returned soldiers, sailors and marines to work as citizens in their own communities and it is believed that by thus offering them the oportunity of contributing to a better community life a greater service will be rendered them than if they were merely made sharer of its benefits. Those not in the military establishment will of course benefit by this interest of the returned soldier and improvement of leisure time conditions will react to the advantage of everybody.

This new Community Service will have a special duty and significance in towns and cities near permanent army posts and naval stations; for in these places the War and Navy Departments have specifically requested us to organize activities for the enlisted men, and work is going forward.

Permanent Community Service in all its phases will be locally supported and controlled. It is agreed that this decentralization of management, this local suport and local government, should be pushed as rapidly as possible. The words "War Camp" are to be dropped and the undertaking as reorganized will be known in the locality as Community Service.

The national organization of War Camp Community Service will continue for the present to pass along the national experience acquired during the war and to guide and advise the local formed known as Community Service (Incorporated) in which the leadership and personnel will be largely those of War Camp Community Service and which it is expected will ultimately be the national successor of War Camp Comunity Service, Inc.

It is hoped that by January 1, 1920 the local Community Service for the returned soldiers, sailors, and marines and for the men remaining in the army and navy will be upon a basis of local support and control. Thus the expenditure that would carry on the present work for a few months only, will, by this method, build machinery to function indefinitely on behalf of those who served in the war.

Very truly yours,
Joseph Lee, President.

TO CONTINUE WORK

Mrs. T. C. Howard in Charge of Employment Service

Notice has been received here that the Employment Bureau which until recently has been under the supervision of the U. S. Department of Labor will be discontinued: Arrangements have been made through the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce to have the work carried on under the management of Mrs. T. Clifton Howard who has so ably and efficiently managed the work in the past, and as this work has been entirely voluntary on her part it has meant a great deal of self-sacrifice and hard work.

Mrs. Howard will continue the work in her office on the second floor of the postofice building where she has a complete list of available labor both skilled and unskilled, and is in close touch with the labor situation generally both in Alexandria and vicinity and is the only bureau being operated in the city, and can offer the same facilities as Richmond or Norfolk.

CHURCH NOTICES

Salvation Army, Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., and Salvation meeting at 8 p. m.

Free Methodist Church, Rev. L. H. Kelly, pastor, services tomorrow will be at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rev. Louis Smet rector, masses at 7, 9 and 11 a. m., and evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Second Baptist Church, Rev. O. P. Lloyd will preach at 11 a. m, and at 8 p m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U, 7 p. m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rev. Carl J. Goette, pastor, service tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock sermon. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. G. J. Hill pastor, evangelistic services led by Evangelist L. A. Bennett, and services each night during the coming week at 7:45 o'clock.

St. Paul's P. E. Church, Rev Dr. P. P. Phillips, rector, services; Sunday School, 9:30 a m.; Men's Bible Class, 9:45 a. m.; services at 11 a. m., and evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Grace P. E. Church, Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector, order of services tomorrow; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 8 p. m.

Trinity M. E. Church, Rev. A. E. Speilman, pastor, services as follows: 9:45 a. m., Sunday School and Bible, Class 11 a. m., rally day service, everbody invited; 7:45 p. m., illustrated service, subject, "Japan and Japanese."

Christ P. E. Church services will be as follows: 9:30 a. m., Sunday School in the Parish Hall, and the Emmanuel Men's Bible Class in the church; 11 a. m., service and sermon by the rector, Rev. Wm. J. Morton, D. D., 3:30 p. m., and evening service and sermon at 8 o'clock

Methodist Episcopal South, west side of Washington near King street, Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. He will also teach the Henry K. Field Bible Class to men at 9:30 a. m., tomorrow morning. Come, you will find a hearty handshake and a warm welcome.

Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor, the congregation and Sunday School will hold rally day services at 7:30 o'clock at night. The pastor at 11 o'clock will take for his subject, "Contending for the Faith." Christian Endeavor 7:15 and Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

FOR COUNTRY CLUB

Committee Appointed at Meeting to Arrange for Site

Plans for the organization of a country club, to be located near Alexandria, were discussed last night at a meeting of those interested held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Julian T. Burke presided.

A committee on ways and means was appointed to arrange definite plans and recommend a site for the club. This committee is composed of Gardner L. Boothe, W. Albert Smoot, Julian T. Burke, Wallace Lindsey, George P. Anderton.

For results try a classified ad in the Gazette.

HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Marley Encampment of Odd Fellows will hold a class initiation Monday night at Odd Fellows' Hall.

Born on October 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Haislip, of Cottage Park, a fine daughter, weighing 8 1-2 pounds.

George Wich has sold to W. W. Simpson two houses and lot on the south side of Cameron between Pitt and St Asaph streets.

An important meeting of Alexandria Lodge No. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, will be held Monday night at its home.

T. Clift won the barrel of flour on which voices were taken for the Jewish Relief Drive. The wining number 174 was drawn from the for the winner by Miss Ella Hill.

The monthly meeting of the Civic Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at 8 o'clock Monday night when a number of matters of importance will be up for consideration.

As heretofore stated a public meeting of Alexandria Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will be held at 8 o'clock tomorow night at the Lyceum Hall when there will be spcaking and a musical program.

An automobile bearing a New York license tag and a horse and wagon collided at Washington and Queen streets early this afternoon and both machine and wagon were considerably damaged. The occupants escaped injury.

Final arrangements were completed last night for a Halloween masked party by Friendship Council, Daughters of Liberty, which will be given next Friday night in their hall. Attending will be a delegation from Hope Council, No. 1, Washington.

James W. Jackson Council, No. 55, Order of United American Mechanics, will Monday night initiate between thirty and forty candidates. Members of Ballston Council will be present and the degree team from Ballston Council will confer the work. The meetings will be held in their new hall on North Pitt street.

Mrs. Alice Monch. wife of William Monch died yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hospital. Besides her husband she is survived by three sons and two daughters. Her funeral will take place at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from her late residence in New Alexandria and services will be conducted by Rev. L. F. Kelly, of St. Mary's Catholic Church. Burial will be in Bethel cemetery.

PENAL COLONY URGED

One of the Philippine Islands would be an anarchists' penal colony, to which persons convicted of attempting to overthrow the Government would be deported, under a bill yesterday by Senator McKellar, Democrat, of Tennessee, a member of the Senate committee to investigating the steel strike.

Senator McKellar introduced another bill providing for deportation f aliens within five years unless they become naturalized.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Mount Vernon Ice Cream Parlors will shortly open at 1102 King street, where they will served not only ice cream but also a fine line of candies and cigars.
251-6c. James Priovolos.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of my dear brother, Sergt. Lee B. Magner who was killed at Eltrange Ridge, France, October 25, 1918

My thoughts are always wandering
To the grave so far away,
Where my beloved brother is lying
In his peaceful and lonely grave.
I did not know the pain you bore
I did not see you die,
I only know you went away,
And never said good by.

By his sister,
255-1p, Mrs Louise Swann

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ALEXANDRIA'S DILEMA

Representative men of this city are at work earnestly endeavoring to solve the serious problem now confronting them—that of accommodating new residents with houses and meeting other demands which will be made upon us after the torpedo plant shall have been put in operation.

Alexandria is already crowded—not more so, however, than other cities on the Atlantic seaboard—and within the next few months the new population will be still farther congested by other arrivals who will be clamoring at our doors for housing accommodations. This problem must be solved if we desire to keep enterprises with us which are forming the pulse of our community.

Everybody is not in a position to erect a house, especially at this time, when material and labor continues to soar. Many, however, can, and those who can see their way clearly should not delay a moment. Such enterprises are perfectly safe as houses are likely to be in demand at remunerative rents for years to come. Hence there is no hazard in constructing homes.

But to return to those who are unable to build houses, but who own their own homes and who have unused rooms or who can contract their living quarters in the interest of the commercial growth of our town. They must not gather their robes about them and say they have no accommodations to furnish when it is apparent they could do their mite towards alleviating present conditions.

Already many of our people whose fortunes do not force them to take in roomers, are accommodating new comers. Some have manifested their public spirit by inconveniencing themselves in order to show their genuine Virginia hospitality. But here are others who prefer to live as hermit crabs. For reasons best known to themselves they are like the late Southrn Confederacy—thy ask to be let alone. They would enjoy the present prosperity without cost or inconvenience.

Strangers in Alexandria must have their attention attracted by the many suitable building sites in this city which have long been "jungles"—evergrown with weeds and which afford suitable places for untidy persons to deposit putrid food and in many cases more objectionable matter. Some of these lots are on streets abutting on trunk sewers and in a number of cases embrace squares and half squares of ground.

Representatives of our commercial interests are hard at work on the problem now facing us. But this is a movement demanding the co-operation of all. Let us come together and move with a will.

LET US BE THANKFUL.

About this time last year the "flu" a terrible pestilence, was busy in Alexandria, as well as in other sections of our country. The fires of war were burning low, and the Huns were seeing their finish. But when peace bells were about to ring the pale horse and his rider were laying low as many persons in the United States as our nation lost in the awful conflict. Young wives were severed from their husband's and little ones and breadwinners passed from earth's scenes, no more to gather pratling children in their arms at the close of the day's labor. In many cases the angel of death made more than one visit to homes.

Tributes to loved one who paid the debt of nature a year or more ago appear almost daily in the Gazette. "Gone but not forgotten," is the solemn tribute of sorrowing survivors whose wounds are slow to heal.

During the present year those who assume to be in positions to know have told us that this terrible scourge would appear again this fall and in a more malignant form than that of last year. Such forecasts have naturally caused anxiety, especially in homes where vacant chairs are already in evidence.

So far, however, the deadly "flu" is not in evidence, and the year has but little more than two months to run. There are no indications of the second visit.

Let us hope present conditions will continue to prevail and that at the coming Christmas family reunions no more sad recollections will cast gloom over our festivities.

PENALTY OF OVERWORK

Virginians as well as many people in the world at large have too awful object lessons before them at this time. Two of the noble and gifted sons of the Old Dominion are literally run down. One occupies the position of chief magistrate of the nation; the other represents his state in the upper branch of Congress. It was known some time ago that Senator Thomas S. Martin was far from being a well man, although it was thought and earnestly hoped that after a short resting spell he would be able to resume his position in the Senate. The sudden collapse of President Wilson and the anxiety he has caused not only in his own country but in the entire civilized world tended to concentrate attention upon the executive. While the latter's conditions is fluctuating we are startled by dispatches from Charlottesville which show to all, especially those who read between the ines, that the senior Senator from Virginia, far from improving as we had been led to believe, is in a serious condition. During the past forty-eight hours he has passed through a trying experience, although his condition was thought yesterday to have brightened some what.

Overtaxing one's energies is tempting Providence, but in the excitement incident to this hurrying age but few realizes the danger incurred until it is too late. While death does not always follow, but few instances are on record to show that people who have strained themselves to the ne plus ultra have ever "come back," to use a pugilistic term.

Some people who have become eminent in their time seem to have known when to stop and take a rest. Gladstone had accustomed himself to fall asleep, when he found his powers were lagging. Macaulay, when he saw his ideas flowing sluggishly, laid aside his pen and took a walk.

Prince Kaunitz, who virtually steered the Austrian Empire during the times of Maria Theresa, resorted to many expedients to "reproduce himself" when fatigued by the cares of state. Those who have read Mrs. Muhlbach's works will remember that upon one occasion when one of the luminaries of the Austrian court made a visit to Kaunitz that the latter turned to one of his associates and said: "I don't want to see him. Let's play a game of billiards."

When it was seen that the entrance of the United States into the great world war in 1917 was inevitable, some one approached Bernstorff in Washington and anxiously asked him how relations were progressing between Germany and the United States. The Ambassador gave an evasive answer and said: "Let us go to the moving picture show."

Chauncey M. Depew, now on the wrong side of eighty, recently told a lady acquaintance that he is never sick except when he overtaxes himself. He then suffers from neuralgia or rheumatism.

We could fill a page with recollections similar to those above, but what has been said is sufficient to show that there is a snapping point in everything and that we should not tax our faculties beyond measure.

SALE OF FIREARMS

The recorder of the court of Reidsville, N. C., has written to the Danville City Council suggesting that Danville adopt a city ordinance similar to the law in force in North Carolina governing the sale and purchase of firearms. He points out that the lawless element for which the act was designed have no difficulty in going over into Virginia and buying arms from the border towns of the Old Dominion and returning to North Carolina. The law enforced in the latter State compels the purchaser of arms to secure a permit from the court first. The recorder says that if the Virginia towns near the State line would adopt the law all of the communities would benefit by it. The matter is under consideration by the Danville Council ordinance committee.

While passing a show window in Alexandria recently the writer noticed that while a short time ago the main articles displayed were pistols, not a weapon of any kind could be seen. He remarked to the proprietor who was standing upon the sidewalk, "Have you gone out of the pistol business." He replied: "I've sold out entirely." The writer suggested that negroes generally purchase pistols. The dealer said: "No not by any means. More white persons buy pistols than negroes."

Virginia should long afago have followed the example of North Carolina. A law should be enacted as soon as possible making it a serious offense for a person to sell a pistol to any one who may be unable to procure a permit to buy such a weapon.

PRO DEO ET PRO PATRIA

Bishop Kelly, of Savannah, in a sermon on Columbus Day addressed to the Knights of Columbus, delivered a message to them which applies with equal force to members of every other denomination and to all who are not members of any church. Among other things the Bishop said:

"Today there is hardly a government in Europe where the Socialists do not control affairs, and Socialism means a denial of any right of God in the matter of the conduct of human affairs. No political order ever has been, or can be, based on Socialists ideas. And these principles are finding their way into the United States. Here the same spirit is exhibited in the disregard for law and order, and the disorderly and lawful conduct of our civil affairs.

"For you the duty is plain. As our boys stood shoulder to shoulder and fought despotic rule over there, you should stand shoulder to shoulder, and always and everywhere order, and always and everywhere oppose mob rule or any other kind of disorder. The constitution and law are your guide. Always and everywhere be found on the side of law and order. The Kaiser was not one half as much as enemy to us and our institutions as the man who defies the law or defends the actions of the lawless mob. We have, to our shame, too many examples of lawless conduct in this State. Never condone it; always oppose it. Stand behind the lawfully constituted authorities. Only this will save America from the fate of those German cities ruled for a time by the murderous mob.

"Do not be deceived the peril is at our door. Never allow yourselves to be carried away by the false claim that it is right to take the law into your own hands. We want no anarchists or revolutionists here; we want law, order and the peaceful conduct of our affairs.

"As knights, raise the old cry, 'For God and country!' This is your duty today. Doing it, you will have the blessing of God, the approbation of conscience, the gratitude of all patriotic Americans."

IN WHICH SIDE WILL YOU STAND?

Commenting on an editorial in the Manufacturers Record of Baltimore with reference to strikes throughout the country, the Bessemer Weekly of Bessemer, Ala., says:

"It is identically what we have been advocating and asserting for months and years past. It is a question that must be settled, and settled for all time, and it cannot be settled too soon. Whenever we hear of proposed strikes, we immediately respond, 'Let 'em come.' If anyone wants to strike, for Moses' sake let them strike. There is no better time for this country, if strikes have to come, than to have them come now.

"If labor unions and their bosses are to dominate this country, to regulate and control its business and to direct its destiny, let us know it with the least possible delay, that we may set our house in order for the cataclysm.

"The very idea that this country should ever be dominated by labor unionism is abhorrent to all ideas of life.

If labor unions dominated by radicalism, as at present, are to control this country, which we cannot for a moment believe, then the sooner we find it out, the better.

The question at issue is one between sanity and human liberty on one side and the insanity of radicalism run wild on the other side.

On one side are freedom, liberty, the American Government and the right of every man to work and to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience.

On the other side are radicalism, Bolshevism, the overthrow of government and, as stated in "The Anarchist Soviet Bulletin," quoted in the Manufacturers Record last week: "The press, church and Government and Constitution can go straight to hell. Down with all constitutions, governments, capitalization, churches and synagogues! Long live anarchism!"

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BANK OFFICIAL KILLED

Robbers At Beaver Falls, Pa., Also Wound Official's Brother

Beaver Falls, Pa., Oct. 25.—Vincent Sakraida, a director of the State Deposit Bank, was instantly killed and his brother, John Sakraida, the cashier, was seriously wounded, when robbers attacked the institution here yesterday afternoon.

Four men drove up to the bank in an automobile, and three of them entered. They ordered the Skaraida brothers to throw up their hands. Vincent Skaraida reached for a revolver and was shot. His brother opened fire on the gang, wounding one of them almost at the instant he was shot in the side.

The robbers, assisting their wounded companion, retreated to the automobile and drove toward the Ohio border.

BERGER LOSES

Declared Disloyal During War With Only One Dissenting Vote.

Exclusion from Congress of Victor L. Berger, Socialist Representative-elect from Wisconsin was recommended to the House yesterday by a vote of 8 to 1 of the special committee which investigated his right to a seat. In its report the committee said.

"That Victor L. Berger was disloyal to the United States of America and did give aid and comfort to its enemies at a time when its existence as a free and independent nation was at stake there cannot be the slightest doubt."

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NOT AN ISOLATED CASE

Many Similar Cases in Alexandria and Vicinity

This Alexandria man's story given here is not an isolated case by any means; week after week, year after year, our neighbors are telling similar good news.

H. J. Duner, policeman 310 North Columbus Street, Alexandria, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for a good many years and have always had good results. Before I tried them I was troubled a great deal with pains in the small of my back, which were so bad I could hardly bend over sometimes. I had miserable headaches and dizzy spells, too. The kidney secretions passed too freely. I am glad to say that since I have used Doan's Kidney Pills I have been free from all that trouble and have felt a great deal better in every way. I am not afraid of my back hurting. I use a few of Doan's once in awhile and they keep my kidneys in fine shape."

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TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described as Torture Relieved by Black-Draught

Rossville, Ga—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would catch me, and I got so I castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be decribed as torture.

I sent and bought Thedford's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Thedford's Black-Draught."

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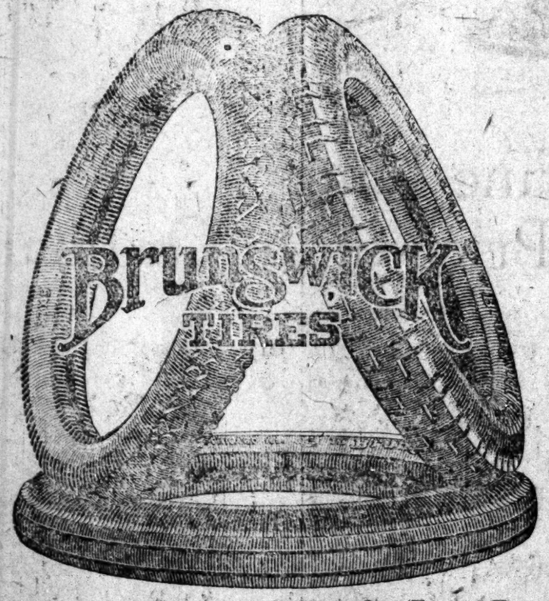

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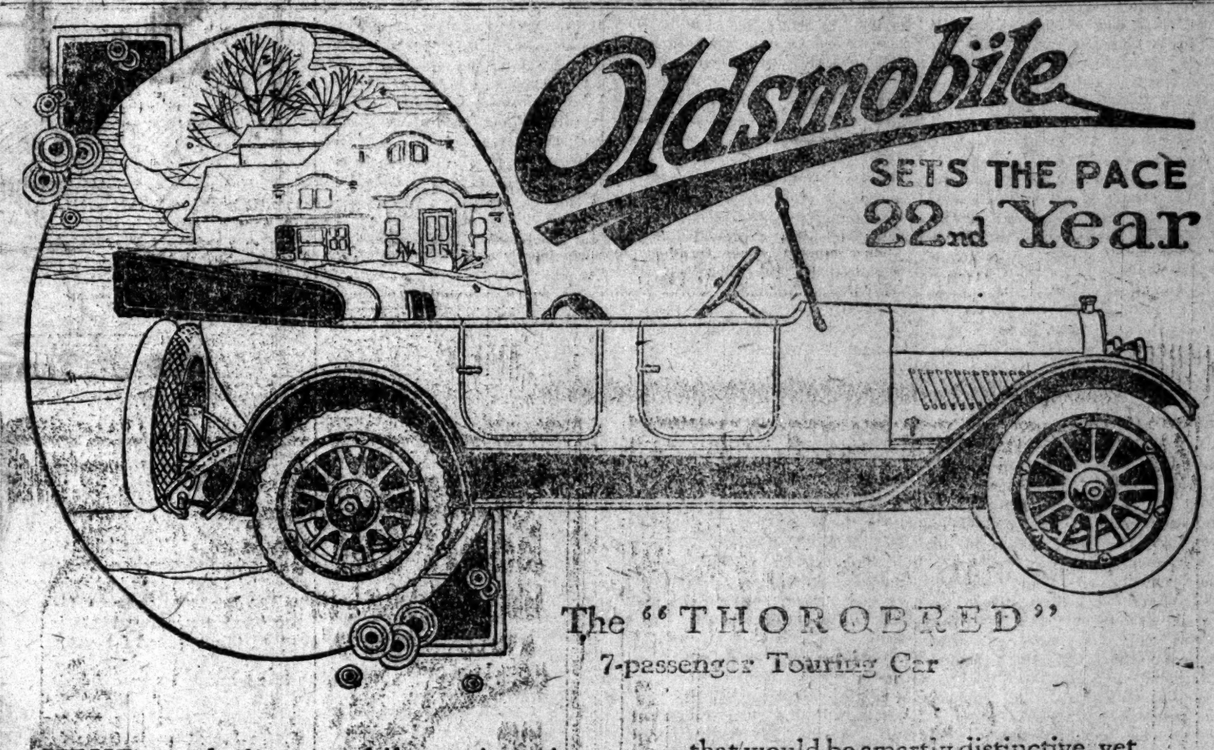

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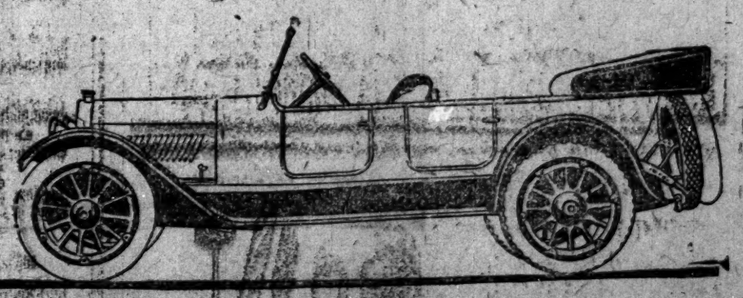


CONFERENCE OF LABOR

Gompers Issues Call for Important Assembly Early in November

Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, who was chairman of the labor group in the conference, announced yesterday that he would call a national conference of labor leaders in Washington in early November to consider what labor's course shall be as a result of the negative outcome of the conference.

Gompers' announcement that a national conference of labor leaders would be held in November was made after the receipt of a telegram from the Illinois State Federation of Labor urging that such a conference be held.

The labor conference will summon together nearly 200 delegates, including the presidents or representatives of all the international unions embraced in the American Federation of Labor, the miners and the four big railroad brotherhoods.

TO BE HANGED

Cummings, Who Shot Peters and Attacked Daughter, is Convicted

George Cummings, negro, was sentenced to be hanged after being convicted of murder in the first degree at the conclusion of his trial yesterday afternoon at Marlboro, Md., for the shooting of George Peters, Jericho, Md., a farmer, at the latter's home on August 17 last. A packed courthouse heard the sentence. The jury deliberated twenty minutes.

An array of evidence was presented against the negro by Miss Catehrine Peters, daughter of the murdered farmer, who was attacked after the killing Detective Lieut. Burlingame and Sergts. Kelly, Scrivener, Berman and Sweeney, of Washington police headquarters

The evidence presented against Cummings was that he was seen getting off an electric train at Bowie, Md.; he was seen going along the road toward the Peters home; he was given a Liberty bond by Miss Peters, after the murder, to get rid of him, which bond was later found sewed in the waistband of the trousers which he wore on the day of the killing.

Miss Peters positively identified Cummings as her assailant and as her father's murderer.

PREDICTS MILD WINTER

"Bomb Will Hit H. C. L.," Says Seer After Air Flight

Reading, Pa., Oct. 25—"A bomb will hit the high cost of living this winter," said John Drake, the Frush Valley prognosticator, who for the past five years has predicted weather conditions with fair success He made his annual forecast yesterday. Even those who have no faith in forecasting the degree of severity of the elements admit that "Prophet" Drake usually hits it right.

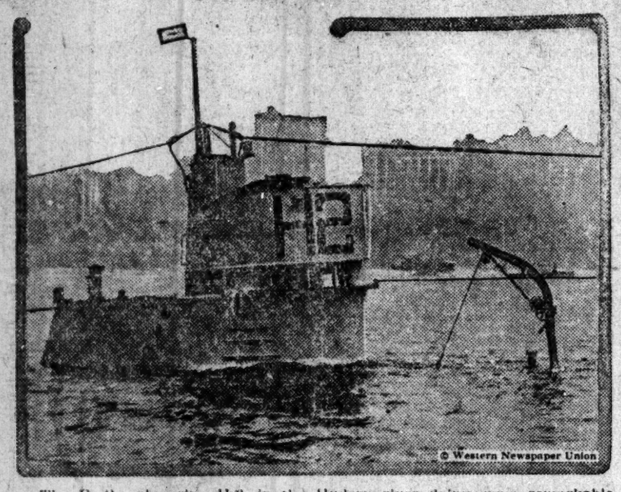
The weatherman has declared war against the profiteer and the high cost of living will come down," said the sage, who recently took a half hour's trip by night in an airplane to study the planets. With his "weather scoope—device created by himself and which he guards safely so as not to reveal its mysterious makeup, he observed the stars in the heavens. He returned to earth much pleased with his meterological observations.

Drake assures the public that the winter will be a mild one, without blizzards and very little snow. Christmas, however, will be white, he feels certain, and no early cold spells need to be expected.

"The mild winter will save on coal bills and clothing costs," says Drake.

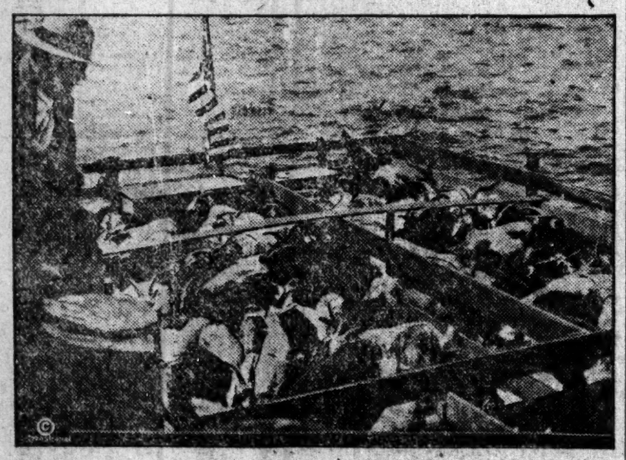
THE EMBLEM OF HUMANITY

U. S. SUBMARINE DOES SOME STUNTS



The U. S. submarine H-2, in the Hudson river doing some remarkable stunts just to remind the public that she, as well as other ships of the U. S. navy, is in need of healthy, ambitious young men. The H-2 performed the remarkable feat of sending a wireless message while submerged.

RESCUE OF STARVING MEXICAN GOATS



The Island of Guadaloupe, off the western Mexico coast, is inhabited by goats only—some 50,000 of them. This year they are starving, owing to lack of rain there, and many of them are being shipped to the foothill ranches of southern California. A cargo of these goats is here shown arriving at San Diego.

Real Efficiency.

Our health is a vital part of our business. If the invoice shows that we are overstraining nerves and organs it is high time to adopt better business methods or else go into bankruptcy.

Balled Up.

"Betty has an India rubber imagination."

"India rubber isn't the term—there are bounds to India rubber."—Boston Evening Transcript.

All Out.

One evening I was accompanying two young women home. We got on a car in which there were but two vacant seats. They sat down together and I excused myself, thinking I would take a smoke on the front platform. I got to talking to some fellows and before I realized it we were at the end of the car line. I rushed in the car, but needless to say, did not find the two girls, as we had passed their corner about a mile back.—Exchange.

GEORGE PARTY DEFEATED

London, October 25.—The Lloyd George coalition government was defeated in the House of Commons last night in the first division of consequence since Parliament reconvened, by a vote of 185 to 113.

It is the first time in fact, that the coalition government has been defeated with the whips present. The reverse came on the government's pilotage provisions in the aliens bill, in which it is proposed to admit French pilots to special consideration at British ports.

It was a minor matter, but involves big principles. The government had made a convention with the French granting such a privilege.

MINERS HAVE ARMS

Cornwell, of West Virginia, Learns Men Talk of Sovietism

Charleston, W. Va., Oct 25.—From 3,000 to 5.000 coal miners of the lower Cabin Creek district in Kanawha county, W. Va., held a conference here last night on the question of organizing the Guyan Valley coal fields in Logan county, before November 1, the date set for the bituminous coal strike, according to reports from Governor John J. Cromwell's office. Many of the miners taking part in the meeting are armed, the governor's reports indicated.

TRAIN TRIKES CHILDREN

Wagon Load is Run Down on Clover Leaf Line

Toledo, O., Oct. 15.—Two persons were instantly killed and four others probably fatally injured yesterday when a wagon load of school children was struck by a Clover Leaf train.

The accident took place one mile south of McClure.

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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 14 day of October, 1919.

Ruth N. Bruce, complainant vs. William B. Bruce, defendant. In Chancery MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant, Ruth N. Bruce, from the defendant William B. Bruce, on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit. and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant William B. Bruce is a non-resident of this State, It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Charles Henry Smith, P. Q.

A Copy Teste

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

249-4w Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 15th day of October, 1919.

Cleone Virginia Butler, complainant vs. William Henry Butler, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant, Cleone Virginia Butler from the defendant, William Henry Butler, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years; that the complainant be granted the care and custody of Harvey Butler, Harold Butler and Marion Butler, the three infant children and for such other, further and general relief as the case require or to equity may seem best.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant William Henry Butler, is a non-resident of this State, It is Ordered, That defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Louis N. Duffey, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY

249-4w. Clerk

FINDS WIFE HANGING

Bridgeton, N. J., Oct. 25.—After taking an active part in the County Teachers' Institute, which was in session here. David C. Porter, city superintendent of schools, went to his home Thursday night for a terrible experience.

Going to look at the cellar heater, he found the lifeless body of his wife Mrs. Dulcie Porter, suspended from a rafter with a rope about her neck. A chair had been used and then kicked aside to cause the drop.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter came here from Kansas a few years ago. Mrs. Porter was 38 years old. She had suffered of late from a nervous attack and it is supposed that this brought on temporary derangement of the mind.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17th day of October, 1919.

Rosie E. Quander, complainant vs. Clarence A. Quander, Defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Clarence A. Quander is a non-resident of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Thomas M. Watson, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

250-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17 day of October, 1919.

Grover C. Henry, complainant vs. Minnie D. Henry. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Minnie D. Henry is a non-resident of this state. It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Thomas M. Watson, P. Q.

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NEVELL S GREENAWAY,

2504wc Clerk

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 16th day of October, 1919.

Eugenia LaForge Hanna, complainant vs. Charles W. Hanna, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Charles W. Hanna is a non-resident of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Leo P. Harlow, P. Q.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

249-4w Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of October, 1919.

Letitia Wright, complainant vs. John H. Wright, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment; alimony pendents lite, permanent alimony ad court costs and counsel fees; the custody of Dorothy M infant daughter of the complainant and the defendant , and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant John H. Wright is a non-resident of this State, It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Thomas M. Watson, P. Q.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

249-4w Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 2nd day of October, 1919.

Carroll Pierce, guardian of Katherina Fuchs, vs. Katherina Fuchs. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of the real estate of which Karl Fuchs, late of the city of Alexandria, Virginia died seized and possessed, and for the investment of the proceeds of such sale upon such terms and conditions, and in such manner, as will best promote the interests of the infant defendant Katherina Fuchs.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defedant Katherina Fuchs, Jannette Fuchs, Henry Fuchs, Louis Fuchs, Willie Fuchs Catherine Hoffman, Frieda Fuchs and Lena Fuchs are non-residents of this State It is Ordered. That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. Jas. R. and H. B.B Caton, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of October, 1919.

Mabel R. Tait, complainant, vs. James P. Tait, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; resumption of maiden name; custody of infant children, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant James P. Tait is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Moncure, Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 10th day of October, 1919.

Charles Parker, also known as Lanlon Parker, vs. Unknown heirs and devisees of Robert G. Violett, deceased In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to remove the cloud upon the title to premises 814 Wolfe Street, Alexandria, Virginia; and to have said property conveyed by Commissioner of Court to Complainant by correct description and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants the unknown heirs and devisees of Robert G. Violett, deceased are non-residents of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in he Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at front door of the Court House of this city.

Moncure, Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

244-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's ffice of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria on the 10th day of October, 1919.

George F. Chambers, Complainant vs. Ella W. Chambers, Defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for Complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the Defendant, on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three year prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Ella W. Chambers is a non resident of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Moncure, Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

244-4wc Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 2nd day of October, 1919.

Archibald H. Taylor, complainant, vs. Constance Lee Pastor, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to recover against the defendant Constance Lee Pastor the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred and thirty one Dollars and Forty Six cents ($2,231.46) with interest thereon from the 25th day of March, 1917, until paid, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same, all the right title interest and estate, both at law and in equity, of the defendant, Constance Lee Pastor, in and two to two parcels of real estate, situated in the City of Alexandria, Va., on the West side of Pitt Street between Duke and Wolfe Sts It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Constance Lee Pastor is a non-resident of this State It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

Jas. R. and H. B. Caton, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 2nd day of October, 1919.

Bernice Carr Collins, complainant vs. Edgar Thomas Collins, In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant, Bernice Carr Collins, from the defendant, Edgar Thomas Collins, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in the cause that the defendant Edgar Thomas Collins is a non-resident of this State It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Charles Henry Smith, P. Q.

A Copy Teste

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 10th day of October 1919.

Newport F. Henry, complainant vs Mabel M. Henry, Defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from defendant, on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Mabel M. Henry is a non-resident of this State. It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Moncure, Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

244-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of October, 1919.

Yancy Dudley, complainant, vs. Mary E. Dudley, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the Complainant absolute divorce from the defendant, on the ground of wiful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Mary E. Dudley is a non-resident of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in thissuit.

Thomas M. Watson and William O. Davis, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 9th day of October, 1919.

Robert C. Iden, guardian of Francis Henry Nichols and Abner Iden Nichols Complainants, vs. Francis Henry Nichols, Abner Iden Nichols, infants over the age of 14 years; Oscar F. Nichols, Charles W. Nichols, Eli H. Nichols, Bushrod W. Nichols, Mary L. Hume, Loula Nalls, William Roy Winston, Clarence J. Winston and Maude H. Wilbur, the four last named being the children of Annie Winston deceased, Defendants. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of the real estate situated in the city of Alexandria, Va., on the south side of Duke Street extended, of which Francis L. Nichols died seized and possessed, and the investments of the proceeds upon such terms and conditions and in the manner as will best promote the interests of the infant defendants.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Loula Nalls is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

Jas. R. and H. B. Caton, P. Q.

A Copy Teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

248-4w. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 2nd day of October, 1919.

Nellie L. B. Fried, complainant, vs. Joseph A. Fried, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant an absolute divorce upon the ground of wilfully and voluntary desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; the right to resume her maiden name, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Joseph A. Fried is a non-resident of this State It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

William P. Woolls, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of October, 1919.

Mossie Matilda Perkins, complainant. vs. James Daniel Perkins, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant James Daniel Perkins is a non-resident of this State: Is is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

R. B. Washington, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

238-4w. Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 10th day of October, 1919.

James H. Kewell, complainant vs. Mary A. Kewell, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from Defendant, on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Mary A. Kewell is a non-resident of this State. It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Moncure, Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

244-4wc Clerk.

MARTIN'S CONDITION

nator Spends a Comfortable Day And Greets Several Visitors

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 25.—
John Staige Davis, United
es Senator Martin's physician,
ted last night that the senator
d spent a very comfortable day
intaining his improvement of
ursday and was resting comfort-
e yesterday evening. The sena-
took nourishment regularly
terday, read the morning papers
d received two or three intimate
ends who came from Washington,
ong them Alfred P. Thom.
Representative Flood also spent
ne time in the sick room, as did
n S Martin, one of the Senator's
thers, from near Scottsville, who
d last night that his brother had
wn marked improvement and
s quite cheerful.

STRIKE A SOVIET IDEA

elligence Officer on Duty in Gary Yesterday Before Committee

Direct connection between the
ike of steel workers at Gary, Ind.
d the Bolshevist manifesto issued
Moscow last March was indica-
in testimony given yesterday be-
e the subcommittee of the Sen-
which is investigating the steel
ike.
Lieut. Donald C Van Buren, of
e military intelligence division of
e army, was the chief witness.
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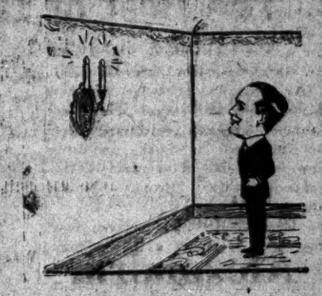
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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1918, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 3, 1908.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 32 of article 2 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate, the house of delegates concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section thirty-two, which is in the following words:

Sec. 32. Every person qualified to vote shall be eligible to any office of the State, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the State, wherein he resides, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and except that this provision as to residence shall not apply to any office elective by the people where the law provides otherwise. Men and women eighteen years of age shall be eligible to the office of notary public, and qualified to execute the bonds required of them in that capacity.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 32. Every person qualified to vote shall be eligible to any office of the State, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the State, wherein he resides, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and except that this provision as to residence shall not apply to any office elective by the people where the law provides otherwise; and except, further, that the requirements of this section as to residence and voting qualifications shall not apply in the appointment of persons to fill positions under a municipal government requiring special technical or professional training and experience. Men and women eighteen years of age shall be eligible to the office of notary public and qualified to execute the bonds required of them in that capacity.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 138 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the senate, the house of delegates concurring, (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing) That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-eight, which is in the following words:

Section 138. The general assembly may, in its discretion provide for the compulsory education of children between the ages of eight and twelve years, except such as are weak in body or mind, or can read and write, or are attending private schools, or are excused for cause by the district school trustees.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 138. The general assembly may, in its discretion, provide for the compulsory education of children of school age.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 117 of article 8 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate and the house of delegates (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity to the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and seventeen, which is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

Section 117. General laws for the organization and government of cities and towns shall be enacted by the general assembly, and no special act shall be passed in relation thereto, except in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution, and then only by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house; and except also in the case of cities having more than fifty thousand inhabitants, as hereinafter provided. But each of the cities and towns of the State having at the time of the adoption of this amendment a municipal charter may retain the same, except so far as it shall be repealed or amended by the general assembly; provided, that every such charter is hereby amended so as to conform to all the provisions, restrictions, limitations and powers set forth in this article, or otherwise provided in this Constitution.

Notwithstanding, however, anything in this article contained the general assembly may, by general law or by special act (passed as prescribed in article four of this Constitution), depart in any respect (except as otherwise in this section expressly provided) from the form of organization and government prescribed by this article for cities and towns, and may provide, from time to time, for the various cities and towns of the Commonwealth such form or forms of municipal government as the general assembly may deem best; but no form or forms of government authorized by the second paragraph of this section shall become operative except as to such cities or towns as may thereafter adopt the same by a majority vote of its qualified electors at an election to be held as may be prescribed therefor by law. All the limitations on the powers of the councils of cities and towns imposed by this article shall apply in like manner to the principal legislative authority under any form of government which may be authorized hereunder. The term "council" as used in sections one hundred and twenty-five and one hundred and twenty-seven of this Constitution shall be construed to include the body which, under any form of municipal government, shall be vested with the principal legislative authority of such municipality.

The general assembly, for the purpose of this article, may classify cities according to their population, but the maximum population prescribed for any class shall exceed the minimum population for the same class by at least ten thousand. The general assembly, at the request, made in manner which may be prescribed by law, of any city having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, may grant a special form of government for such city.

Any laws or charters enacted pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be subject to the provisions of this Constitution relating expressly to judges and clerks of courts, attorneys for the Commonwealth, commissioners of revenue, city treasurer and city sergeants.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 117. (a) General laws for the organization and government of cities and towns shall be enacted by the general assembly, and no special act shall be passed in relation thereto, except in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution, and then only by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house. But each of the cities and towns of the State having at the time of the adoption of this Constitution a municipal charter may retain the same, except so far as it shall be repealed or amended by the general assembly: provided, that every such charter is hereby amended to conform to all the provisions, restrictions, limitations and powers set forth in this article, or otherwise provided in this Constitution.

(b) The general assembly may, by general law or by special act, (passed in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution) provide for the organization and government of cities and towns without regard to and unaffected by any of the provisions of this article, except sections one hundred and one, one hundred and twenty-four, one hundred and twenty-five, except so far as the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-five recognize the office of mayor and the power of veto, one hundred and twenty-six, one hundred and twenty-seven and one hundred and twenty-eight of this article and except those mentioned in sub-section (a) of this section. The term "Council" used in any of said sections shall include the body exercising legislative authority for the city or town, and all ordinances passed and resolutions adopted by such body shall have the same force and effect for all purposes as ordinances passed or adopted in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-three of this article. But such organization and government shall apply only to such cities or towns as may thereafter adopt the same by a majority vote of those qualified voters of any such city or town voting in an election to be held for the purpose, as may be provided by law.

(c) The general assembly, at the request of the city or town made in manner provided by law, may grant to it any special form of organization and government authorized by sub-section (b) of this section, and subject to all of the provisions of that sub-section, except that it shall not be necessary for such city or town to thereafter adopt the same.

(d) Any laws or charters enacted pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be subject to the provisions of this Constitution relating expressly to judges and clerks of courts, attorneys for the Commonwealth, commissioners of revenue, city treasurers and city sergeants.

(e) Any form of organization and government authorized by any provision of this section which may have been adopted heretofore by any city or town pursuant to any act of the general assembly enacted before such provision became effective, and which is now in operation, is hereby declared legal and valid ab initio, and shall have the same force and effect as if it had been authorized by this Constitution at the time of its adoption.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 133 of article 9 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (the majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to section one hundred and thirty-three, article nine, of the Constitution of Virginia, be and is hereby, proposed and referred to the general assembly at the first regular session held after the next general election of members of the house of delegates for its concurrence in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-three of article nine, which is in the following words:

Section 133. Each magisterial district shall constitute a separate school district, unless otherwise provided by law. In each school district there shall be three trustees selected, in the manner and for the term of office prescribed by law.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 133. Each magisterial district shall constitute a separate school district, unless otherwise provided by law, to each school district there shall be not more than three trustees selected, in the manner and for the term of office prescribed by law.

Men and women may serve as school trustees in said districts, and in cities and in towns forming separate school districts.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 134 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing) That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section one hundred and eighty-four, which is in the following words:

Section 184. No debt shall be contracted by the State except to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion, or defend the State in time of war. No scrip, certificate, or other evidence of State indebtedness, shall be issued, except for the transfer or redemption of stock previously issued, or for such debts as are expressly authorized in this Constitution.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 184. No debt shall be contracted by the State except to construct or reconstruct public roads, to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion, or defend the State in time of war. No scrip, certificate, or other evidence of State indebtedness, shall be issued except for the transfer or redemption of stock previously issued, or for such debts as are expressly authorized in this Constitution.

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 136 of article 9 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next session of the general assembly.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing) That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-six which is in the following words:

Section 136. Each county, city, town, if the same be a separate school district, and school district is authorized to raise additional sums by a tax on property, not to exceed in the aggregate five mills on the dollar in any one year, to be apportioned and expended by the local school authorities of said counties, cities, towns and districts in establishing and maintaining such schools as in their judgment the public welfare may require; provided, that such primary schools as may be established in any school year, shall be maintained at least four months of that school year, before any part of the fund assessed and collected may be devoted to the establishment of schools of higher grade. The boards of supervisors of the several counties, and the councils of the several cities, and towns if the same be separate school districts, shall provide for the levy and collection of such local school taxes.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 136. Each county, city, town, if the same be a separate school district, and school district is authorized to raise additional sums by a tax on property, not to exceed in the aggregate in any one year a rate of levy to be fixed by law, to be apportioned and expended by the local school authorities of said counties, cities, towns and districts in establishing and maintaining such schools as in their judgment the public welfare may require; provided that such primary schools as may be established in any school year, shall be maintained at least four months of that school year, before any part of the fund assessed and collected may be devoted to the establishment of schools of higher grade. The boards of supervisors of the several counties, and the councils of the several cities, and towns if the same be separate school districts, shall provide for the levy and collection of such local school taxes.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1918, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1902.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

DRY MEN ON LIQUOR CHARGE.

Virginia Prohibition Inspectors to Face Court

Richmond, Va., Oct. 25.—"If there was ever a case that needs grand jury attention, it is this one," declared Police Justice Crutchfield yesterday when he decided to hold Prohibition Inspectors J. J. Oliver and Lee Chase, both originally from Accomac county, for the higher court on the charge of transporting "moonshine" whisky in automobiles and ofering it for sale. State Senator Walter Mapp, of Accomac, author of the state wide bill and a relative of Inspector Oliver, appeared for the defense, being assisted by former Senator Lewis Machen, of Alexandria. The case was long drawn out and was bitterly contested. It was testified that Oliver and Chase, in company with "Nubby" Arnold drove an automobile with 8 gallons of "moonshine" seized in a raid in Amelia county to the home of William Stewart, a negro of 10 West Bacon street, late last Saturday night. According to the negro, Arnold entered his home and offered to sell him some of the liquor at $20 a gallon, while Oliver and Chase remained seated in the car outside, He spurned the proposal, he said. As Arnold was leaving, two policemen arrived and nabbed the prohibition agents, but let Arnold go not then knowing according to their story, that he was with them.

CONFESSES EXPRESS ROBBERY

Canton, Ohio. Oct. 25.—Charles Rinehart, 18 years old, held in connection with the theft of clothing from a Canton store, confessed yesterday that he participated in a $50,000 robbery at the Pennsylvania offices here of the American Railway Express Company last Saturday night. Chief of Police Riblet made public yesterday for the first time the express robbery.

It was announced by the police that the robbers secured about $50,000 in currency, Liberty Loan bonds and express orders and that little of the loot has been recovered. The express company suffered a loss of $30,000 in express money orders alone. These money orders were all burned, Rinehart asserts, because he was afraid they could be traced back to him if he tried to dispose of any of them. He has not confessed as to who aided him in the robbery.

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Office of the Chief of Engineers
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Lieut. Daniel H. Rucker, Engrs.,
Clarendon, Va.

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1. The demobilization of the army having made further sacrifice on your part unnecessary, I wish to convey to you my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of your country during the recent emergency. The Engineers of the United States have by their patriotic and self-sacrificing conduct well merited greater thanks and appreciation than it is possible for me or any other one man to give them. I am sure, however, that when it is possible to relate in full the efforts and accomplishments of American Engineers, both overseas and in this country, that the people of the United States will show appreciation of their efforts in no uncertain terms.

2. That you have been one of these Engineers and have contributed your part toward this successful accomplishment constitutes in itself an honor greater than any official expression of opinion. Permit me, however, to extend to you my personal thanks and those of the Corps of Engineers for your efforts and assistance.

Very respectfully,
W. M. BLACK,
Major General, Chief of Engineers.

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SCOFFED AT PEACE OFFER

Berlin, Oct. 25.—The former Kaiser scoffed at the danger of American intervention early, in 1917, according to Count von Bernstorff, then ambassador to the United States.

Replying to a question by Dr. Sinheimer, when he resumed testifying in the Reichstag committee investigation of the conduct of the war, Von Bernstorff admitted that Wilhelm telegraphed Foreign Secretary Zimmerman about January 16, 1917, "that if a breach with America cannot be avoided, things must take their course."

The statement created a sensation, several committee members gasping audibly. There was a hurried consultation and after some delay a copy of the telegram was produced. It was read by Sinzheimer.

"His majesty does not care a bit about President Wilson's peace offer," the telegram said, "if a breach with America cannot be avoided, things must take their course. Events are developing."

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Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains, Alexandria, Virginia. The following schedule figure published as information and not guaranteed.

SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
3:27 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	5:18 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:58 p.m.
9:07 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	9:13 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:37 a.m.	(Coaches)	11:13 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:58 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
2:57 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:08 p.m.
14:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	11:03 a.m.
4 p.m.	(Local)	10:58 a.m.
15:22 p.m.	Washington-Warrenton	7:53 a.m.
	Washington-Charlottesville	
7:17 p.m.	N.Y.-Augusta-Aiken	7:18 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:02 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:48 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
11:02 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.
	Charlotte-Washington	6:48 p.m.

WASHINGTON-SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.		North.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
12:10 a.m.	(Local)	
	New York-Jacksonville	
8:35 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
9:53 a.m.	(Local)	11:52 a.m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
10:07 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
10:52 a.m.	(Local)	8:10 a.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:37 a.m.	(Express)	7:30 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
12:32 p.m.	(Local)	1:40 p.m.‡
	New York-Tampa-Key West	
3:22 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	3:10 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
	(Local)	5:33 p.m.‡
	Washington-Richmond	
5:27 p.m.	(Local)	8:32 p.m.§
	Washington-Columbia-Memphis	
5:34 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach	
6:07 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	9:30 a.m.
	Washington-St. Petersburg-Tampa	
9:17 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	9:10 a.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Express)	3:28 p.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Local)	6:12 p.m.†
	Quantico-Washington	
	(Local)	2:35 p.m.‡

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BERNSTORFF ON THE STAND

Former Ambassador to U. S. Testifies Before German Assembly Committee

Berlin, Oct. 25.—The fatal miscalculation of Gen. Ludendorff in regard to the U-boats and the speed with which America would get effectively into the war was again startlingly revealed by Count Johann Heinrich von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, at yesterday's hearing of the parliamentary subcommittee's investigation into war responsibilities.

Asked to tell of his conversation with the German commander when, after having been kept waiting in Berlin more than 6 weeks after his arrival he was called to the Kaiser's headquarters May 4, 1917, the former ambassador quoted Ludendorff as saying.

"You wanted to make peace through America?"

"I told them yes, I did," continued Bernstorff in his testimony.

"Ludendorff said: 'But we didn't want that, and now we will finish the war within three months with the U-boats.'"

Bernstorff said he expressed his doubts. "Ludendorff replied that he had positive information that England could not hold out three months more.

"Ludendorff then asked me how long I thought it would take America to get seriously into the war. I replied, one year. Ludendorff remarked that we did not need a year, that we would get through and finish the war before the end of the year."

Bernstorff's replies created a sensation, and sarcastic tittering swept the room.

MINERS WILL STRIKE

Conference Ends After Disagreement Over Appeal by Executive

The coal strike, called for November 1, is a certainty.

In the face of an eleventh hour appeal, dictated from his sickbed by President Wilson, and all the strenuous efforts of Secretary of Labor Wilson, who has been striving for a week to bring together the operators and the representatives of the bituminous miners, the conference broke up last night.

"The responsibility for this action is not ours. We disclaim the responsibility," said John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, as he left the American Red Cross headquarters where the sessions were held. "The strike order stands and the strike will occur on Novmber 1," he added.

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Premier Plum Pudding, large can	35c
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THE AWAKENING HAS BEEN STARTLING

The Essex is just ten months old. But note what a name it has made for itself.

What car ever so quickly made as many friends? And what car has proved itself in the way it has?

Nothing was said to call attention to the way it is built. No claim was made that its motor delivers a performance that ranks the Essex with the performance of those large costly cars that have such fine reputations for the way they climb hills, accelerate and outdistance other cars in touring.

But Essex owners and thousands of others found out.

They are the ones who tell of Essex performance in such words of praise as are rarely applied to an automobile.

PUT ASIDE ITS SIZE AND TYPE CONSIDER ONLY PERFORMANCE

That is what all Essex owners will tell you to do. Go see it with the same expectation of its value that you would examine any fine quality car.

If speed is your requirement see if the Essex does not meet it.

Where luxury and finish are demanded compare the Essex with any car.

Don't put yourself in the erroneous position of classing it with light cars.

Expect of the Essex the same riding qualities—the same performance ability—with a range of speeds equal to any of such cars as you consider worth $300 to $500 more.

And then when you have tested the Essex in that manner, consider the advantages it possesses over those other larger cars with which you have classed it.

COSTS LESS TO OPERATE EASIER TO HANDLE

You sacrifice none of the pleasures of motoring because the Essex is no longer than cars known as of the light weight type.

But you gain all their advantages. When riding in the Essex you have no conscious feeling that it weighs any less or that it is performing any less satisfactorily than the big costly cars.

You sit in as comfortable and upon as richly upholstered cushions.

You hold no concern as to the endurance of your car.

If you drive you feel the ease of its operation. You learn that the Essex requires little attention and that it grows in your esteem because it so completely meets your motoring needs.

MORE THAN 100 NEW OWNERS EVERY DAY

In January Essex production was 30 a day. It now approximates 125 a day.

So great is the demand everywhere that as many as 100 cars have been driven away from the factory in one day by buyers impatient at freight delays.

It indicates Essex position. No light car equals its performance as is known in every locality. No light car assumes equal qualities in construction detail. And no larger car offers the advantages of convenience and low operating costs.

You will place a large car price on the Essex if you judge it by performance and durability.

That is why everyone is so enthusiastic for it.

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